

Sl. No.	Name of the Country	No. of students yearwise		
		1989	1990	1991
1	2	3	4	5
21.	Indonesia	1	1	1
22.	Turkey	—	—	2
23.	Newzeland	1	—	—
24.	France	14	4	.13

[English]

Forest Research Institute in Assam

2130. SHRI UDDHAB BARMAN: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there was a proposal to set up a Forests Research Institute in Assam;

(b) whether the institute has been set up; and

(c) if not, the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Funds for Modernisation of Railways

2131. SHRI M.V. CHANDRASEKHARA MURTHY:
SHRI V. SREENIVASA PRASAD;

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the railway modernisation plans have been badly affected since the past few years due to financial crunch;

(b) if so, whether the Government has since contemplated any measures to provide financial assistance to railways to meet the needs of its modernisation plans;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the allocations proposed for the Railways during the Eighth Plan Period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALIKARJUN): (a) Modernisation plans were limited by the availability of resources, but not badly affected.

(b) and (c). Plan allocation for the Railways depends on overall resources that can be mobilised, and the intersectoral priority of different sectors.

(d) Eighth Plan has not been finalised.

Anniversary Celebration of Hyderabad city

2132. SHRI M.V.V.S. MURTHY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have allocated any funds to Andhra Pradesh for celebration of the Four Hundredth Centenary of the Hyderabad city;

(b) if so, the details thereof, and

(c) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) An amount of Rs. .68 lakhs was sanctioned to "Sanskar" and an amount of Rs. 1 lakh to the Jashn-e-Golconda Society in connection with the 400 years of Hyderabad City.

(c) Does not arise.

[Translation]

Dual Licencing Policy of Foodgrains

2133 KUMARI UMA BHARTI: Will the Minister of Food be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to bring in improvement in the implementation of dual licencing policy of foodgrains; and

(b) if so, he details alongwith data thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TAUNGOGOI):

(a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise.

[English]

National Commission for Women

2134. SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR:

SHRIMATI GEETA MUKHERJI:

SHRI SUDHIR GIRI:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken for setting up of the National Commission for women,

(b) the reasons for the delay; and

(c) the time by which the Commission is likely to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT) (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE): (a) to (c) the Government has already set up the National Commission for Women on 31.1.92

Sugar Mills in Bihar and Uttar Pradesh

2136. SHRI LAL BABU RAI:
DR. P.R. GANGWAR:

Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) the number of sugar mills earning profit/incurring losses in U.P. and Bihar;

(b) whether most of the sugar mills of U.P. and Bihar are running in loss;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps taken to improve the working of sugar mills in the country particularly in U.P. and Bihar to make them profitable?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) to (c). The Government does not maintain profit and loss account in respect of sugar mills. besides cane availabil-